

Agriculture (Registered Occupations) Bill

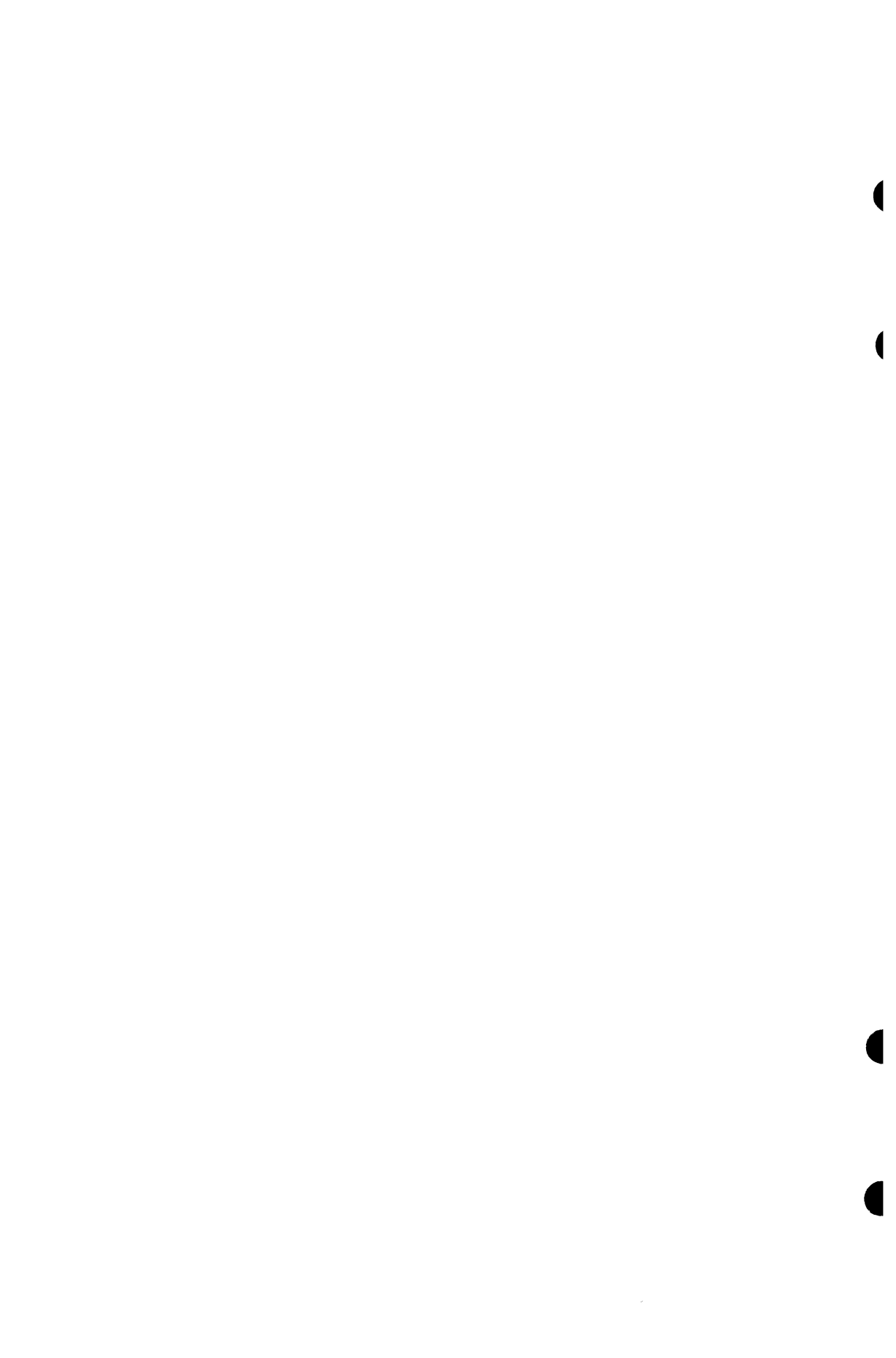
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A BILL

to amend the **Dried Fruits Act 1958** and the **Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act 1986**, to repeal the requirement about registration of certain occupations and for other purposes.

Agriculture (Registered Occupations) Act 1994

The Parliament of Victoria enacts as follows:

1. *Purpose*

5 The purpose of this Act is to amend the **Dried Fruits Act 1958** and the **Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act 1986** to repeal the requirements about registration of certain occupations and to make other provisions.

2. *Commencement*

10 (1) Section 1 and this section come into operation on the day on which this Act receives the Royal Assent.

Section headings appear in bold italics and are not part of the Act.
(See **Interpretation of Legislation Act 1984**.)

- (2) Subject to sub-section (3), the remaining provisions of this Act come into operation on a day to be proclaimed.
- (3) If a provision referred to in sub-section (2) does not come into operation within the period of 12 months beginning on, and including, the day on which this Act receives the Royal Assent, it comes into operation on the first day after the end of that period.

Act No. 6259.
Reprinted to
No. 72/1989.

3. *Repeal of section 24 of Dried Fruits Act 1958*

In the **Dried Fruits Act 1958**, section 24 is repealed.

Act No. 46 of
1986.
Subsequently
amended by
Nos 68/1987,
35/1988,
57/1989 and
40/1993.

4. *Repeal of section 31 of Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act 1986*

Section 31 of the **Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act 1986** is repealed.

5. *Amendment of Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act 1986*

- (1) In section 25 of the **Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act 1986**, the definition of “Experimenter” is repealed.
- (2) In section 26 (2) of the **Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act 1986**—
- (a) in paragraph (b), omit sub-paragraph (ii); and
- (b) in paragraph (c)—
- (i) omit “(other than an experimenter registered under this Part)”; and
- (ii) omit sub-paragraph (ii).
- (3) In section 26 (3) (c) of the **Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act 1986**, for “or any experimenter employed in the establishment” substitute “the establishment or a person who is carrying out a scientific procedure for the establishment”.
- (4) In section 32 of the **Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act 1986**, for paragraph (a) substitute—

“(a) in contravention of the conditions of the licence of the establishment for which the procedure is carried out; or”.

5 (5) In section 33 of the **Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act 1986**—

(a) in paragraph (a), **omit** sub-paragraph (iii); and
(b) in paragraph (b), **omit** sub-paragraph (iii).

(6) In section 42 (1) of the **Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act 1986**, **omit** paragraph (i).

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6. Statute Law Revision

In section 3 of the **Dried Fruits Act 1958**, in the definition of “dried prunes” for “varietes” **substitute** “varieties”.

